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ATTENTION: DEBBIE FLORES

**SUBJECT: U.S. v. EDUARDO LEAL, NOs. 7:21-PO-00001 & 7:21-PO-00002
[TRIAL DATE]**

At the July 7, 2021 Final Pretrial Conference, the Honorable Judge Hacker instructed the parties to file an advisory with the Court setting out our availability for a Bench Trial as to above cases. The undersigned counsel conferred with AUSA Devin Walker regarding a trial date, and AUSA Walker advised that the Government and its witness[s] are available for a Bench Trial on **September 10, 2021**. Mr. Leal and the undersigned counsel are available on that date as well. The defense anticipates that one day should be sufficient to complete the Bench Trial.

Respectfully,

/s/ Chris Gonzalez
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